

## Message Text

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SUBJECT: ADS REQUEST - DIXON INDUSTRIES CORP

REF: COMMERCE CD-144, DATED FEBRUARY 9, 1978

OF THE COMPANIES THAT WE HAVE CONTACTED ON BEHALF OF DIXON INDUSTRIES CORP, THE FOLLOWING FIRM HAS EXPRESSED PRELIMINARY INTEREST IN BECOMING THE COMPANY'S SOLE AGENT/DISTRIBUTOR FOR SCANDINAVIA.

JOHNSON METALL AB  
FACK  
S-701 01 OREBRO, SWEDEN  
CONTACT: MR. RAGNAR BEYER, MANAGING DIRECTOR  
TELEPHONE: 019/11 97 50  
TELEX: 73226

COMMENT: THIS COMPANY, ESTABLISHED IN 1944, HAS A SHARE CAPITAL OF SKR 7.4 MILLION (\$1 EQUALS SKR 4.60) AND TURNOVER IN 1976 WAS SKR 70 MILLION. THE COMPANY EMPLOYS APPROX. 400 AND HAS BRANCH OFFICES IN STOCKHOLM, GOTEBOG, AND MALMO. A FACTORY IS LOCATED IN OREBRO, AND A FOUNDRY AND MECHANICAL WORKSHOPS IN CHARLOTTENBERG. THE COMPANY HAS SUBSIDIARIES IN FINLAND AND NORWAY. JOHNSON METALL AB IS A WHOLLY OWNED SUBSIDIARY OF INCENTIVE AB, A VERY LARGE AND WELL-KNOWN HOLDING COMPANY WITH A SHARE CAPITAL OF SKR 160.4 MILLION. ACCORDING TO LOCAL BANK SOURCES, JOHNSON METALL AB IS FINANCIALLY

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